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OP.No. 8 of 2020

PUBLIC NOTICE

**Amendment to Modalities (Guidelines) for implementing
Solar Roof Top Policy, 2018**

1. The Commission accorded approval for the Modalities (Guidelines) for implementing Solar Roof Top Policy, 2018 vide order dated 25-05-2019. Now the DISCOMs made a representation to make appropriate amendments to the existing Solar Roof Top Policy. The amendments proposed by DISCOMs to the existing Solar Rooftop Policy, 2018 are furnished below:

- (i) The metering will be done either on Gross/Net metering method.
- (ii) The applicable tariff for solar rooftop projects for either net metering/gross metering shall not exceed “difference of pooled variable cost and balancing cost” (or) the applicable tariff at the time of Commercial Operation Date (CoD) whichever is less.
- (iii) The agreement period shall be for 10 years.
- (iv) A decision to be taken in respect of Gross or Net metering.

2. The existing Modalities (Guidelines) for implementing the Solar Roof Top Policy, 2018 and “The representations submitted to the Commission by DISCOMs” will be made available to interested persons/ stakeholders on written request addressed to the Secretary, APERC at the above address. The said documents are also hosted in the website of the Commission – www.aperc.gov.in, for seeking comments/ suggestions from interested persons / stakeholders.

3. The Comments/ suggestions on the above subject, if any, may be sent to the Commission Secretary either by post at the above mentioned address or through e-mail to commn-secy@aperc.gov.in by 5:00 PM on 23-03-2020.

3. Further, it is to inform that public hearing will be conducted on the above subject by the Commission in its court hall on 24-03-2020 at 11:00 AM and any interested persons/stakeholders/organizations desirous of being heard in person, may appear before it on the said date of public hearing.

Sd/-
SECRETARY_(i/c)

Date : 09-03-2020

Place : Hyderabad.